ing that Japan's rise as a militant threat was mided by this settlement. Senator Williams declared that Japan was facing a grave danger. She was planning to wake a sleeping lion in the 400,000,000 people of China, whom she proposed to train as soldiers for

### Fall Assails Williams

Senator Williams's defence of the the Hitchcock defence. Meanwhile,

graph read, with reference to the position of Japan in China if she is allowed to retain the railroads and the Japanese concessions in the Shan tung Peninsular-that the capital of China itself is absolutely in the hands of Japan, surrounded entirely by

"It was this transaction to which the President of the United States, in addressing himself to the Senate a few days eince, had reference. The President himself is too shrewd a man and has too much regard for his own standing in the eyes of the people of the United States to undertake to make such a defence as has been attempted to be made for him upon this floor.

# Admires Wilson's Shrewdness

"The President of the United States may not be all that some of his worshippers think that he is, and in some respects I am frank to say that I think he is as much overrated as any man who ever lived in the United States; but I can say, without hesitation or mental reservation, when it comes to a proposition where he may be held to account he is as shrewd as any man who ever addressed a public audience in leaving himself a position from which he can gracefully retire, and then he is equally shrewd in delegating to others who either have not his ability or have not his regard for the position in which they may place themselves, the ordinary work—I will not use the other expression which I might use—in undertaking to make a defence of such an absolutely indefensible proposition as is presented before the The President of the United States

the crocodile tears that Senators are shedding over China. Senators sit here and shed their crocodile tears over China, when in the past they have never raised their voices in the defence of China. Here in this treaty in the form of Article X is a guarantee that in the future China cannot in the future. Under that article every mental that artic

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tor from Nebraska?

Mr. Hitchcock—It is to be done as stated in the article. When there is danger or action indicating a war of conquest against any member the executive council is directed to advise and recommend to members of the league the action that they shall take to protect the threatened member.

Mr. Fall—Well, there is nothing in it. then, that compels any action at all?

# Lodge Assails Action of Allies in Giving Shantung Rights to Japanese

"I shall discuss the question of Shantung with some fulness at a later time, but now let me say this: that there is no statute of limitations that runs against a great wrong like that. Poland was partioned 150 years ago, and that great wrong is being undone now. The fact that we recognized Germany had two make it any better. Germany had two make it any better. Germany had two missionaries killed there. She sent out a fleet with Prince Henry of Prussia on board, and for those two mission aries she took Kaio-chau and Tsing-tao, which are the great ports and harbors of Shantung; she took a circle about it, the environs, and she took great rights extending through the province in connection with railroad, mining and other concessions.

Charges an Agreement

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WASHINGTON, July 15.—Senator Lodge, discussing his resolution asking the President for information regarding a supposed treaty drawn between Japan and Germany in 1918, declared that the cession of German rights in Shantung to Japan was "a price paid" for Japan's support of the league of nations and that all the world knew it. "I shall discuss the question of Shantung with some fulness at a later time, but now let me say this: that there is no statute of limitations that runs against a great wrong like that. Poland was partioned 150 years ago, and that great wrong like that. Poland was partioned 150 years ago, and that great wrong is being undone now. The fact that we recognized Germany's seizure of Shantung does not make it any better. Germany had two missionaries killed there. She sent out a fleet with Prince Henry of Prussia on board, and for those two missionaries she took Kaio-chau and Tsing-tao, which are the great ports and harbors of Shantung; she took a circle about make it ronctically a yearsal state: she make it practically a yearsal state: she make it practically a yearsal state: she make it practically a yearsal state: she

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Resents Senate Laughter

"That is not all. China gets something by this treaty which is greated than any azzet she heretofore has had China by the treaty now before the Senate gets the full beneit of Article X, which is so viciously stracked upon the other side. (Laughter upon the Republican side of the chamber.)

"Well, Senators, laugh, but Kenators know very well that in the past most of the nations of the world have despoiled China and have taken her tor-larged they are doing it now," interfected Senator Lodge.

"On the senator should know that under the application of the content of the senator should be severed to the special of the content of the senator should be severed to the senator form Nebraska;" and Senator Moses, "to observed the senator from Massachusetts in describing tapans action as a gift to Japan and I also object to that language. I think it is more accurately described as a bribe, and I should like to ask the senator from Massachusetts in describing that correction."

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# Berlin Now Is Said to Indorse Rhenish State

Basel, July 15 (French Wireless Service). — According to the Cologne "Volkszeitung," a copy of which has been received here, a rumor is in circulation in the Rhenish provinces that the central government of Germany no longer is opposed to the creation of an independent Rhenish state, provided this state remains attached to the German

eignty to Japan, the procedure by which this unjust judgment was brought about as still more reprehensible and indefensible. It is difficult for a fair and reasonable mind to comprehens he and situated north of the equator in fensible. It is difficult for a fair and reasonable mind to comprehens he and situated north of the equator in fensible. It is difficult for a fair and reasonable mind to comprehens he and situated north of the equator in and situated north of the equator in fensible. It is difficult for a fair and reasonable mind to comprehens he and situated north of the equator in the segment powers could treat an Allied nation with such unmerciful cuelty and lack of justice.

"When it became apparent that the United States was about enter the War, it was feared that China would follow her. In fact, there is but little doubt but that China would have a find the matter is shrouded somewhat in mystery, there can be but little doubt to the unprejudeed mind that it was Japan working through her allies that prevented China from declaring war against Germany. Her object in this general property of Japanese people by the unprejudeed mind that it was Japan working through her allies that prevented China from declaring war against Germany. Her object in this swas obvious.

"If China joined in the fight against taken into consideration in agreefing upon the terms of peace. Obviously Japan preferred that China should have a right to appear at the peace table, but Great Britain and France were anxious to have he place at the peace table, but Great Britain and France were anxious to have China join the Allies in order interned in Chinese waters.

China Gave Needed Ships

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diplomatic relations with Germany and that it give this act desirable significance. The consequences of this in China should be the following:

"'First, handing passports to the German diplomatic agents and consuls.

"'Second, the obligation of all under German jurisdiction to leave Chinese territory.

"Another vital principle that we are asked to agree to is that all of the members of the league shall submit differences between them that are not differences between them that are not

# Wanted Ships Interned

Italy and Portugal. According to the information of the French government there are fifteen German ships in Chinese pofts, totalling about 40,000

tons.

"Fourth, requisition of German commercial houses established in China; forfeiting the rights of German changes and processes.

where every new introduction will be assembled for presentation by Bidding at the earliest possible moment.

In the meantime some new thing is daily introduced by Gudding Designers—and available mid-season importations are presented.

His Britannic Majesty's government accedes with pleasure to request of the Japanesse government for an assurance that they will support Japan's claims in regard to the disposal of Germany's rights in Shantung and possessions of the islands north of the equator on the occasion of the peace conference; it being understood that the Japanesse government will in the eventual peace settlement treat in the same spirit Great Britain's claims to the German islands south of the equator.

"If avail myself of this opportunity, M. le Ministre' to renew to your excellency the assurance of my highest consideration.

"(Signed)

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# 'His Britannic Majesty's Ambas- League Is a Practical Step Toward Peace, Asserts Senator Underwood

fers from one nationality to another, hundreds of thousands of people. It remaps the entire world. It contains many things outside of the provisions of the league itself, that shock the sensibilities of justice and right. Among these, standing out prominently, is the transfer of a great portion of the Chinese Empire to Japan.

Criticised Paris Council

"As indefensible as is the judgment rendered at the peace council, in transfering Chinese property and sovering council of the time of the peace negotiations the ferring Chinese property and sovering council of the time of the peace negotiations the surrender of the territorial rights and special interests Germany possessed this unjust judgment was brought about this unjust judgment was brought about the peace occannel, in transfering Chinese property and sovering council of the peace negotiations the surrender of the territorial rights and special interests Germany possessed that the unjust judgment was brought about this unjust judgment was brought about the peace ocean.

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"I am not prepared to

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the high contracting parties to this treaty shall undertake to respect and preserve against external aggression the political independence and the territorial integrity of every member of the league?

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"Most of the wars that have been have had as their governing cause the desire to conquer and control another people, or to expand the territory of the country that is the aggressor in the war. Prevent the incentive for war growing out of a selfish desire for aggression, as the overweening force of this covenant will do, and few actual causes of war will remain that cannot without difficulty or danger be sub-mitted to the high court of arbitra-tion

been eliminated.

"Dangers to our people and our republic that were not dreamed of a century ago confront us to-day at our very doors, a threatening menace to our lives, our civilization and our institutions. Shall we continue to dream of the ideals of the past, or meet as practical men the dangers of the future? For me there is but one course to pursue."

"Within the same period Germany shall give particulars to Japan within three months from the coming into force of the present treaty the archives, registers, plans, title deeds and documents of every kind, wherever they may be, relating to the administration, whether civil, military, financial, judicial or other, of the territory of Kiaochau.

"Within the same period Germany shall give particulars to Japan of all treaties, arrangements or agreements relating to the rights, title or privileges referred to in the two preceding articles."

# Treaty Agreement

Germany Renounces in Favor of Japan All Rail Chamber Committee to Call and Property Holdings

The text of Section VIII of the treaty of peace with Germany, dealing with the Shantung province in China, is in full as follows:

# SHANTUNG Article 156

relative to the province of Shantung.

"All German rights in the Tsingtao-Tsinanfu Railway, including its branch lines, together with its subsidiary property of all kinds, stations, shops, permanent military and n fixed and rolling stock, mines, plant and material for the exploitation of complete efficiency in the armaments and military "But the greatest principle of the and material for the exploitation of armam league tending to keep the peace of the mines, are and remain acquired by ments.

SUPPLIED BY THE CASE

The German state submarine cables from Tsingtao to Shanghai and from Tsingtao to Chefoo, with all the rights, privileges and properties attaching thereto, are similarly acquired by Japan, free and clear of all charges and incumbrances.

## Article 157

"You may say: 'Then why should we become involved in an alliance that may drag us into the disputes, the disasters and the dangers of other nations?' This was the doctrine our fathers believed in and one that I am slow to yield. But we face a condition, not a theory. Time and space have been eliminated.

"Dangers to our people and our re
rights which Germany might claim in consequence of the works or improvements made, or of the expenses in curred by her, directly or indirectly in connection with this territory, are and remain acquired by Japan, free and clear of all charges and incum brances.

Article 158

"Germany shall hand over to Japa"

# Deputies to Ask Treaty Facts of Clemenceau

Premier to Explain Terms on Left Bank of the Rhine PARIS, July 15 .- The committee of

the Chamber of Deputies appointed

to consider the peace treaty has decided to invite Premier Clemenceau to explain the treaty, in so far as if concerns the left bank of the Rhine,

# BULLETIN No. 4

# Ten Times, Will Be Added to New York City's Telephone System in 1919. One Quarter Million Miles of Wire For the 310 Square Miles of New York City

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